

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

LISTING OF CLAIMS

Claims 1-32 (cancelled)

33. (new) A method for local computer system control of a remote computer system via the Internet, said method comprising:

receiving a hypertext transfer protocol formatted command via the Internet from said local computer system, wherein said hypertext transfer protocol formatted command does not include file transfer protocol components;

translating said hypertext transfer protocol formatted command into file transfer protocol format to form a file transfer protocol formatted command;

transmitting said file transfer protocol formatted command to said remote computer system via the Internet, wherein said file transfer protocol formatted command is executed by said remote system;

receiving a file transfer protocol formatted response from said remote computer system via the Internet;

translating said file transfer protocol formatted response into hypertext transfer protocol format to form a hypertext transfer protocol formatted response; and

transmitting said hypertext transfer protocol formatted response to said local computer system.

34. (new) The method of Claim 33 further comprising:

providing verification of access authorization, of a user logged in at said local computer system, to said remote computer system prior to said receiving said hypertext transfer protocol formatted command via the Internet.

35. (new) The method of Claim 33, wherein said command is associated with a user session and logged.

36. (new) The method of Claim 33, wherein said command comprises a single script that is issued from said local computer system to control the uploading of data to said remote computer system.

37. (new) The method of Claim 36, wherein said data that is uploaded to said remote computer system is used to update or configure software that runs on said remote computer system.

38. (new) The method of Claim 33, wherein said command comprises a single script that is issued from said local computer system to control said remote system and to download data from said remote computer system.

39. (new) The method of Claim 33, further comprising issuing command-line interface calls from a web-based graphical user interface.

40. (new) The method of Claim 33, wherein multiple users on a plurality of client computers access said remote computer system through a single log in procedure.

41. (new) The method of Claim 33, further comprising the step of managing a plurality of remote systems from a single web-based control point.

42. (new) The method of Claim 33, further comprising the step of transmitting both commands and content through a same IP port of said remote computer system.

43. (new) A computer useable medium having computer useable code embodied therein that when executed causes a computer processor to perform operations comprising:

receiving a hypertext transfer protocol formatted command via the Internet from said local computer system, wherein said hypertext transfer protocol formatted command does not include file transfer protocol components;

translating said hypertext transfer protocol formatted command into file transfer protocol format to form a file transfer protocol formatted command;

transmitting said file transfer protocol formatted command to said remote computer system via the Internet, wherein said file transfer protocol formatted command is executed by said remote system;

receiving a file transfer protocol formatted response from said remote computer system via the Internet;

translating said file transfer protocol formatted response into hypertext transfer protocol format to form a hypertext transfer protocol formatted response; and
transmitting said hypertext transfer protocol formatted response to said local computer system.

44. (new) The method of Claim 43 further comprising:

providing verification of access authorization, of a user logged in at said local computer system, to said remote computer system prior to said receiving said hypertext transfer protocol formatted command via the Internet.

45. (new) The method of Claim 43, wherein said command is associated with a user session and logged.

46. (new) The method of Claim 43, wherein said command comprises a single script that is issued from said local computer system to control the uploading of data to said remote computer system.

47. (new) The method of Claim 46, wherein said data that is uploaded to said remote computer system is used to update or configure software that runs on said remote computer system.

48. (new) The method of Claim 43, wherein said command comprises a single script that is issued from said local computer system to control said remote system and to download data from said remote computer system.

49. (new) The method of Claim 43, further comprising issuing command-line interface calls from a web-based graphical user interface.

50. (new) The method of Claim 43, wherein multiple users on a plurality of client computers access said remote computer system through a single log in procedure.

51. (new) The method of Claim 43, further comprising the step of managing a plurality of remote systems from a single web-based control point.

52. (new) The method of Claim 43, further comprising the step of transmitting both commands and content through a same IP port of said remote computer system.

53. (new) A system for local computer system control of a remote computer system via the Internet, said method comprising:

means for receiving a hypertext transfer protocol formatted command via the Internet from said local computer system, wherein said hypertext transfer protocol formatted command does not include file transfer protocol components;

means for translating said hypertext transfer protocol formatted command into file transfer protocol format to form a file transfer protocol formatted command;

means for transmitting said file transfer protocol formatted command to said remote computer system via the Internet, wherein said file transfer protocol formatted command is executed by said remote system;

means for receiving a file transfer protocol formatted response from said remote computer system via the Internet;

means for translating said file transfer protocol formatted response into hypertext transfer protocol format to form a hypertext transfer protocol formatted response; and

means for transmitting said hypertext transfer protocol formatted response to said local computer system.